

I do not approve of your current efforts to further consolidate corporate media. We need more media diversity in this country, not less. We need more public control and oversight of media, not less. We need public interests to stop taking a backseat to corporate interests.

Unfortunately, the FCC seems more interested in serving the needs of big media conglomerates, than in protecting the public's interest. This not only disappoints me, it frightens me. We already see very weak reporting from corporate media outlets regarding our current military operations in Afghanistan. The government's party line is repeated verbatim by pliant news corporations, and people don't really know what's going on because they're not told.

Your efforts to further the already overwhelming media consolidation process will only make the current situation worse. I urge a reconsideration. It's time for the FCC to start looking out for the public's interest and not the corporate interest. We are losing our democracy.